

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 have been cancelled without prejudice to their subsequent reintroduction into this case or their introduction into another application. New claims 23-64 have been added. Upon entry of this paper, claims 23-64 will be pending and under consideration in this application.

Support for new claims 23 and 33 can be found in the specification, for example, in Figure 8A; and on page 9, lines 14-16; page 11, lines 1-14 and 16-21; page 20, lines 17-19; and page 45, line 15. Support for new claims 24, 34, 45, and 56 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 10, lines 20-22; and page 11, lines 19-21. Support for new claims 25, 35, 46, and 57 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 12, lines 6-7. Support for new claims 26, 36, 47, and 58 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 12, lines 9-18 and 23-24; and page 18, lines 4-11. Support for new claims 27, 37, 48, and 59 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 13, lines 3-17; and on page 24, lines 3-10. Support for new claims 28, 38, 49, and 60 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 13, lines 3-6. Support for new claims 29, 39, 50, and 61 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 13, lines 7-8. Support for new claims 30, 40, 51, and 62 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 22, lines 26-29; and page 66, lines 8-9. Support for new claims 31, 32, 41, 42, 52, 53, 63, and 64 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 19, lines 14-15. Support for new claims 43 and 54 can be found in the specification, for example, in Figure 8A; and on page 9, lines 14-16; page 11, lines 16-21; page 20, lines 17-19; page 41, lines 1-7; and page 45, line 15. Support for new claims 44 and 55 can be found in the specification, for example, on page 40, lines 28-29; and page 41, lines 1-7.

Applicant believes that the foregoing amendments to the claims introduce no new matter into the case.


CONCLUSION

If, in the Examiner's opinion, a telephonic interview would serve to clarify issues and expedite the prosecution of the present application, the undersigned attorney would welcome the opportunity to discuss any outstanding issues, and to work with the Examiner toward placing the application in condition for allowance.

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